

# ADVERTISING SIS OF SUCCESS.

Adverts Entering Peruna  
to Power as a Cataract  
and Tonic is  
Understood.

US, OHIO.—The ac-  
cidents entering the most  
valuable remedy in the  
known made known to  
This means a new era  
of popular fam-  
—Peruna leads.

contains among other  
in seal, powerful in its  
the mucous mem-  
dron seed, a rare  
unsurpassed tonic,  
able in nasal catarrh  
s of the kidneys and  
one root, valuable for  
mucous membranes  
in dropsy and Indi-

## 3 PROFITABLE.

Variety That Will Grow  
Most Any Kind  
of Soil.

plant is a rank feeder  
on nearly any type of  
there is lots of plant-  
table. Rich black soil  
sulted to its needs,  
sly root ellipses is gen-  
its growth. Whatever  
either for the row of  
or for an acre, the land  
roughly fertilized for  
ceding the planting.  
set in rhubarb in the  
ner should be heavily  
barnyard manure the  
This should be plowed  
ground well worked up  
in given for the manure  
comes at least partially  
the soil. An applica-  
tion manure should be  
creater. It is well to  
ten the rows and then  
not too deeply, so that  
and directly available  
the plant. This, with  
conditions, will insure  
growth, so essential to  
of crisp, juicy, highly

in setting out rhubarb  
more extensive than a  
the garden is to plow  
rows four feet apart  
about half full of well  
The plants can then  
intervals of about four  
and set about four  
rows well should be packed  
them with the hands or  
in the furrow may be  
of light harrow or  
that be taken that the  
are not entirely covered

of rhubarb is not a  
because the large  
conditions, so the weeds  
such and the sun does  
to compact the sur-  
to any great extent.  
cultivation should be  
the surface loose and  
two inches to dig about  
in the spring with a  
so as to thoroughly  
soil about the roots,  
to promote a quicker,  
h. Plants well cared  
and good bearing condi-  
x to ten years. Do not  
as remain to grow to  
in the fall, but pull

## TATO COVERER.

Appropriate Implement  
Work Much Faster  
in the Hoe.

will be glad to know  
ing plan of a potato  
could be made out of  
or elm boards. The  
four feet long and two

## FOR THE FAMILY.

choice vegetables, and  
should be supplied  
all days. Tomatoes  
a hilling, and much  
water favor as a health  
of food. Serve  
and tomatoes.

## MURDERER.

Murderer in Apprehen-  
sion, but Dr. King's New  
Preparation, after a  
month, after that eluding that  
the killing, ending Con-  
—Hillsboro, Ohio, 25

William Reynolds of  
Hillsboro of Hills-  
boro's of Hillsboro.

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BETHEL, ME.—RUMFORD, ME., THURSDAY, SEPT. 28, 1911.

\$1.50 IN ADVANCE.

## LOCAL HISTORY.

### Newspaper Records of Bethel and Vicinity.

Incidental Memoranda—By  
Leonard B. Chapman.

Number 123.

#### PART TWENTY ONE.

"July 23, 1884. The mother of Gro-  
ver Cleveland was a daughter of the  
late Dr. John Crover, of Bethel, a well-  
known physician and politician. He  
was a member of the constitutional con-  
vention of 1820, and his sons were  
named for French celebrities, Lafayette,  
Cuvier, and Abernethy. Cuvier is  
a General in the U. S. Army, and  
Lafayette has been Senator from Ore-  
gon."

This is a bad mistake. He resided  
near the steam mill on the West Bethel  
road in Bethel at first, then moved to  
Portland with his family, and from  
there back to Bethel, built the house  
as now observed, westerly side of mill  
hill—a way leading from the hill down  
to the mills. The house was the second  
from the Common. The corner one  
was moved and joined to the Prospect  
Inn Hotel. Before its removal it was  
used as a public house by Capt. Samuel  
Hadden Chapman, who owned it, raised  
a story, making a three story resi-  
dence, and with the added piazzas it  
made a fine appearance and was called  
"The Elm," and as has been stated,  
it was sold to the proprietors of the  
Prospect Inn Hotel, and joined to that  
structure. It escaped destruction when  
the Inn was destroyed by fire, recently.

Dr. Grover's wife had two daughters;  
the first born in 1823, died in 1833;  
the second, born July 3, 1835, married  
Colten C. Chapman, son of Hon. Robert  
A. Chapman of Bethel. She died in  
Bethel at the residence of her father,  
Dec. 17, 1871.

In the old Portland Transcript of  
the above named date appeared an ar-  
ticle signed, "W," the caption of which  
is as follows: "An Excursion Fifty  
Years Ago." Terrifically it covers  
more ground than I am doing, but as  
the party passed through Bethel and the  
story is interesting, the Citizen pro-  
prietor will pardon me for using the  
extra space of my journal. The party  
started from Portland and the story  
runs as follows:

Mr. Editor.—On the 23th of July  
1834, a party of seven men started  
from Portland, on a pedestrian tour to  
the White Mountains. We had a light  
covered wagon drawn by one horse in  
which were changes of linen, woolen  
stockings, brogans, etc., together with  
various articles of food as would keep in  
wet weather, for favors on that route  
were few and far between. We  
left town at noon and put up at Mack's  
tavern at Gorham that night. The sec-  
ond day we passed through Standish,  
East and West Baldwin to Springs in  
Huron.

On the third day we passed  
through Brownfield, and Fryeburg to  
North Conway. Early on the morning  
of the fourth day we entered the Notch  
and took quiet possession of the Willey  
House, and having been apprised about  
that time, we agreed our table with  
the best car larder afforded, and quite  
unexpectedly we had for guests the late  
Judge Preble, wife and daughter, the  
latter then recently married to Ste-  
phen Langfellow, who was also one of  
the party, all of whom have since de-  
ceased. We put up at the house of  
Thomas Crawford, son of old Abel  
Crawford, the pioneer of the mountains,  
then a healthy, hale old man, who en-  
tained us with thrilling accounts of  
his early adventures in that mountain  
region. From Thomas Crawford's  
house, which was on the steepest side  
of the mountain, we hiked up to the  
summit of Mt. Washington, then for  
space of time, quite too brief, our eyes  
glanced upon prospects at once grand  
and sublime, when alas, after the lapse  
of a few moments, as it were, a heavy  
bank cloud descending, covered the  
mountain many feet below our standing  
as with a shroud, thus effectively pre-  
venting a view upon our farther sight  
seeing.

When we came down from the coun-  
try, being somewhat fatigued, we re-  
mained one day with our kind and  
charitable host to refresh ourselves. We  
then took up our tramp through the  
beautiful New Hampshire towns of  
Nottingham, Littleton, Bethel and Hallow-  
ell to Lancaster, thence taking the north  
railroad to Portland.

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## OPENING AT DAY'S STORE.

On Saturday afternoon and evening  
the E. K. Day Co's store, Rumford,  
presented a most festive appearance.  
The store was handsomely decorated  
with arches of autumn leaves over  
which the word "Welcome" was plain-  
ly visible and made one feel at home  
upon entering. This occasion was an  
opening to the public in which to dis-  
play the newest fall goods in millinery,  
and dry goods, and certainly every-  
thing was displayed which could tempt  
the eye of woman to buy in the line  
of beautiful dresses, suits, hats and  
roasts. The goods were most artisti-  
cally arranged so as to show them at  
their best, also all of the clerks were  
very glad to show any and all goods  
to inquiring minds, and to help one  
out in the all important question which  
is just at this time troubling the femi-  
nine mind mainly, "What shall we  
have to wear this winter?"

Mrs. O. A. Pettengill's millinery par-  
lors on the upper floor presented a most  
charming appearance; hats of all sizes,  
shapes and descriptions were on exhibi-  
tion, it seemed as if everyone might  
find a hat suited to their style and  
wish. The orchestra played on the op-  
posite side of the balcony and added to  
the brilliancy and pleasure of the oc-  
casion. Many people visited the store  
both afternoon and evening and a great  
many were listening on the outside to  
the music. The whole affair was great-  
ly enjoyed and showed that the stores  
of Rumford certainly equal the city  
stores in their display according to  
their size.

## OBADIAH GARDINER FOR SENATE.

Saturday, Sept. 23, Obadiah Gardiner  
of Rockland was named U. S. Senator  
to succeed the late Wm. P. Frye. There  
has been many candidates for this of-  
fice and it had been a general impres-  
sion that the appointment would go to  
Cumberland County; the candidates  
there were Wm. M. Penzell, James O.  
Hamlen and Edward B. Winslow.

Mr. Gardiner was a candidate for  
governor in 1908. He was defeated for  
renomination at the convention in 1910  
by Frederick W. Plaisted of Augusta.  
Mr. Gardiner was candidate for Sena-  
tor before the legislature in January,  
when Charles P. Johnson of Waterville  
won the honor. He was appointed as  
senator for the State for a term of six  
years beginning last April.

His term will expire Mar. 13, 1913  
under the present appointment.  
Obadiah Gardiner was born in Port  
Huron, Mich., Sept. 12, 1852, and lived  
there until he was twelve years of age.  
He has been identified with Orange  
work for 25 years, being State Master  
from 1897 to 1907 when he was defeat-  
ed by a small margin. Mr. Gardiner  
made his first entry into politics about  
the same time that he joined the  
Orange, 25 years ago, entering the  
Rockland city council. It was not un-  
til 1908, however, that he became a  
candidate for governor. He polled in  
that campaign 65,278 votes, the largest  
that his party has ever polled with two  
exceptions, the first in 1880 when Gen.  
H. H. Plaisted received over 73,000  
votes and the second in 1910 when P.  
W. Plaisted received 73,799. His fam-  
ily consists of a wife and two children,  
a daughter, who was recently married  
to Clarence H. Devereaux, a prominent  
business man of Rockland and a son,  
Alfred K., who was appointed last sum-  
mer State horticulturist of the Maine  
department of agriculture.

## BETHEL CORN SHOP.

The parking of corn at the shop was  
finished last Wednesday, the pick fall-  
ing but little short of last season. The  
freese shortened the season somewhat,  
but the low here was much less than  
in many places. The shop was run day  
and night to save all the corn possible.  
Although this was an uncommon year,  
and to have been realized only once be-  
fore in twenty five years, the farmers  
are ready to sign for next year realiz-  
ing that the corn parking is a paying  
industry and although the crop oc-  
casionally fails it is as reliable as other  
crops.

Mr. Whitman has worked hard to  
bring about the best results possible  
under the unfavorable conditions. The  
farmers will be paid for their corn  
about the middle of October.  
Lansing commenced this week. The  
corn has all been sold but will fall  
short of the amount needed to fill or-  
ders. The filling will be rushed as the  
Whitman goes to Norway to an ap-  
pointed place as the business is closed here.

## PREMIUMS AWARDED AT CANTON FAIR.

Canton Fair proved to be one of the  
best in its history and Wednesday and  
Thursday large crowds attended.  
The following is a partial list of the  
premiums awarded:

### Canton Fair Premiums Awarded.

The town of Hartford took first  
prize on oxen, owned by Moses Young,  
and the same on steers.

Grades, Herefords, Moses Young, 1st,  
Nellie Carver 2d and 3d.  
Durham, Nellie Carver 1st; Jersey,  
Rose & Boothby, 1st; A. S. Sampson,  
2d; Moses Young, 3d.  
Guernseys, C. T. Bonney, 1st, 2d and  
3d.

Grade heifers, Durham, 3 yr. old,  
Moses Young, 1st; 2 yr. old, A. S. Samp-  
son, 1st; 1 yr. old, D. C. Guernsey, Jr.,  
1st. D. C. Guernsey 2 yr. old, 2d.  
Holsteins, 3 yr. old, Nellie Carver, 1st;  
2 yr. old, 1st; C. W. Walker, 1st; 1 yr.  
old, same, calf, 1st and 2d, 1 yr. old,  
2d.

Guernsey, 2 yr. old, Richardson, 1st;  
Grade Jersey, 2 yr. old, Rose & Boothby,  
1st and 2d; 1 yr. old, Rose & Boothby,  
1st and 2d; calf, 1st and 2d. Grade heif-  
ers, Guernsey, 3 yr. C. T. Bonney, 1st;  
calf, C. T. Bonney, 2d.

Herds, Thoroughbred Jersey, Rose &  
Boothby, 1st; S. E. Richardson, 2d.  
Grade Jersey herd, C. T. Bonney, 1st;  
Thoroughbred Jersey cow, Rose &  
Boothby, 1st and 2d; C. E. Richardson,  
3d.

Thoroughbred heifer, Holstein, 3 yr.  
old, C. W. Walker, 1st 2 yr. old, 1st;  
1 yr. old, 1st; calf, 2d. Jersey, 2 yr. old,  
1 yr. old and calf, 1st and 2d, Rose &  
Boothby, 3 yr. old, C. E. Richardson, 1st  
and 2d; 2 yr. old, 2d; 1 yr. old, 1st.  
Bulls, Holstein, 1 yr. old, C. W. Walker,  
Canton, 1st; Guernsey, 3 yr. old, C. E.  
Bonney, 1st; Jersey bull, 1 yr. old,  
C. E. Richardson, 1st; Jersey bull, 2 yr.  
old, Rose & Boothby, 1st. Hereford  
bull, 2 yr. old, Moses Young, 1st; Sewall  
Staples, 2d. C. V. Knight of Turner  
was judge of the dairy breeds, assisted  
by H. C. Black.

Matched 1 yr. old, Moses Young, 1st.  
Best steers, 1 yr. old, do, 1st and 2d.  
Matched calves, Elford Hammond, 1st;  
Judge C. H. Bonney, Sumner, Best  
steers, 2 yr. old, B. P. Glover, 1st.

Best calves, Harold Gammon, 1st.  
Trained steers, 1 yr. old, Moses Young,  
driven by Elford Hammond, 12 yrs. old,  
who broke the steers. Calves, Harold  
Gammon, 1 yr. old, drove his own,  
that were trained by him. The first  
premium was given to Elford Hammond  
and the second to Harold Gammon.

Working oxen, Moses Young, E. Sum-  
ner 1st; Caleb Seaman, Jay, 2d; B. P.  
Glover, R. Sumner, 3d. Best oxen, Moses  
Young, 1st; B. P. Glover, 2d. Matched  
oxen, Arthur Jordan, Canton, 1st; Mos-  
es Young, 2d. Matched steers, 1 yr.  
Moses Young, 1st. Calves, Elford Ham-  
mond, E. Sumner, 1st, 2 yr. B. P. Glover,  
1 yr. old, Moses Young, 1st and 2d.  
B. P. Glover, 1st. Calves, Harold  
Gammon, 1st. Trained steers, 1 yr.  
Moses Young, 1st. Trained steers calves,  
Harold Gammon 2d.

## HOUSES.

Stallions—Stallions, 3 yrs. Geo. B.  
Reard, Rockfield, 1st. Percheron stall-  
ions 1 yr. Gagne, Canton, 1st. Stallions,  
3 yrs. W. W. Farrar, Hartford, 1st.  
Prize H. Stone, Canton, 2d.  
 geldings and fillies—Fillies, 3 yrs.  
A. W. Richardson, Livermore Falls, 1st.  
Three yrs. Arthur Taylor, Canton, 1st.  
Gelding, 1 yr. D. C. Guernsey, Canton  
Fillies, 1 yr. Arthur Park, Rockfield,  
1st. Percheron filly, 3 yrs. F. W. Allen,  
1st. Percheron gelding, 3 yrs. do, 1st.  
Clydesdale filly, 1 yr. Ralph Camp-  
bell, Leeds, 1st.

Bred Mares—Bred mares, Irving  
Smith, Rockfield, 1st. O. E. Childs, Can-  
ton, 2d. E. L. Bragg, Canton, 3d. Clydes-  
dale mare, Frank H. Stone, Canton, 1st.  
Percheron, A. P. Campbell, Canton, 1st.  
Buckling colt, Irving Smith, 1st. Perch-  
eron colt, Arthur Park, Rockfield, 1st.  
O. E. Childs, 2d. E. L. Bragg, Canton,  
3d. Clydesdale, F. H. Stone, Canton,  
1st. Gent's driving, Emma Morse, Rum-  
ford, 1st. W. W. Stone, Canton, 2d. A.  
W. Richardson, Livermore Falls, 3d.  
Work horses, A. P. Campbell, Canton,  
1st. To the team house, B. E. Caldwell,  
Canton, 1st.

## Poultry.

Java Bantam, Canton, Brown Leghorn  
Cocks, 1st. Mrs. O. P. Hatch, Canton.  
R. I. Red Cocks, 1st. M. M. Berry,  
Hartford. Newcomb H. I. feed, 3d.  
chicks, same, 2d. Mrs. C. E. Richard-  
son, Canton. Bantam Plymouth Rock  
fowl, 1st; chicks, same, 1st. George B.  
Glover, Canton. Buff Plymouth Rock  
fowl, 1st; chicks, same, 1st. Mary Rob-  
ertson, Canton. Columbian Wyandotte  
fowl, 1st and 2d; chicks same, 2d. M.  
Caldwell, Canton, 1st.

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## HARVEST FAIR SUPPER. GREATER THAN MAINE DISASTER.

Will the public please note this date  
—Thursday, October 5. "There's a  
reason," as the Portun people say. The  
reason is, on the 5th of October the  
"pumpkins" will appear at Odd Fellows  
Hall, and this is also the date for the  
annual harvest supper of the Ladies'  
Aid Society at Bethel, Maine. Of  
course you will want to attend.

At the fancy table there will be  
such pretty bags on sale that you will  
want to be "bagged." You will also  
find the indispensable apron, vegetable,  
candy, and ice cream tables.  
And the harvest supper! The "billed  
vittles," "pumpkin" pies, and all the  
other good old-fashioned dishes which  
you have found at our harvest suppers,  
will "line up" at about six o'clock on  
the 5th of October. And, by the way,  
those "pumpkins" have secured all  
rights to that merry little Scotch air,  
"The Campbells Are Coming," for  
their own "only proper use, benefit,  
and behoof," till after Oct. 5th. They  
have changed some of the verses to  
suit their fancy, and hope you will  
find them singable. Hum them over  
five or six times, with all the "re-  
posts," and see if you don't begin  
to realize that the "pumpkins" are  
coming. And surely, if you were as  
hungry as you probably will be at six  
o'clock on Oct. 5th, wouldn't you rather  
know that "The pumpkins are com-  
ing," than that "The Campbells are  
coming," because you couldn't, should-  
n't and wouldn't eat a Campbell, but  
you can, may and shall eat a pumpkin,  
or a piece of one, in a delicious pie?  
Of course you would. So here is the  
"pumpkin" song:

"The pumpkins are comin', O ho, O ho,  
The pumpkins are comin', O ho, O ho,  
The pumpkins are comin' to harvest  
Fair Supper,  
The pumpkins are comin', O ho, O ho."

Upon the ground they lay, they lay,  
Upon the ground they lay, they lay,  
But now they are comin' to harvest  
Fair Supper,  
To harvest Fair Supper in grand array.

The pumpkins are comin', etc.

## MAINE PEOPLE FOR CALIFORNIA.

I am going back to California. My na-  
tive Maine is a great state but I believe  
California greater, says Arthur W.  
Little, formerly of Portland, now a  
prominent business man of Stockton,  
Calif. Mr. Little has been visiting his  
old home this summer but returns to  
California this month. A number of  
friends will accompany him and plans  
are completed for a special tourist  
steamer to leave Portland, Wed., Oct. 11.  
Short stops will be made at various  
points of interest, including Niagara.  
The party will take advantage of spe-  
cial rates in effect at that time.

A few letters are still vacant and Mr.  
Little extends a hearty invitation to  
any Maine people who expect to visit  
California soon to communicate with  
him at 311 New Baxter Bldg., Portland,  
Me., with a view to joining his party.  
O. S. H. S.

## COMMUNICATION.

Dear Mr. Editor—  
I think it is a shame that there is no  
caro in Bethel Village for the drink-  
ing of horses that have traveled long  
miles with heavy loads. I realize there  
is water for sprinkling the streets, and  
quantities for washing dirty auto-  
mobiles, and I hear the fountain is run-  
ning, but not a drop for the horses.  
The Lord must be angry indeed at the  
treatment of his creatures—I wonder  
that the people of Bethel endure this  
wicked thing.

## FARMS AND HOMES

I have had a dozen calls for farms  
and residences near Bethel within the  
past week. If you have any real es-  
tate that you would like to dispose of,  
I shall be glad to go over the matter  
with you and doubtless may be able to  
assist you in selling it a great deal.  
E. C. BOWLER.

## WANTED.

"Is your husband at the ball game?"  
"Yes," replied young Mrs. Torkin.  
"I think the game exerts a beneficial  
influence. He is always talking about  
it to men who are making frantic  
attempts to get home."—Washington  
Star.

## JUST A PLAIN TELL.

The baby across the car aisle caught  
sight of the children individual op-  
er and let out a shrill yell of alarm.  
"Baby's all right, baby's all right!" he  
cried.  
"No, sir," the mother sharply re-  
plied, and the baby yelled again.  
"There's your baby," said the individ-  
ual one. "There's certainly some-  
thing to that yell."  
Then he gave the child an airplane  
kick and fell asleep.—Cleveland Plain  
Dealer.

## NOT HEARD.

"Excuse me," said Uncle Eben, "I  
only a still, small voice, as' half de  
time when I tries to speak up it gets  
died de dies in busy."—Washington  
Star.

## WANT COLUMN.

Put your Want and Sale notices  
here and they will be read in  
3,000 Oxford County homes—  
Lines 1 week, 25c. 3 weeks 50c.

## PINK AND GREEN TOURMA- LIN.—Very fine and for sale very cheap. Inquire of HARRY DUDLEY, Rockfield, Me.

4-8-10-14.

60 MEN WANTED at once to learn  
the auto business in our garage. Good  
salary in short time. Write for full  
particulars.

HAMLEN-FOSTER CO.,  
454-456 Fore St., Portland, Me.  
6-29-13.

Nellie L. Brickett, teacher of  
music and organ, residence of P. S. Chandler,  
Main street, Bethel, Maine. Pupils ac-  
colited.  
8-31.

## LOST.

A gold brooch pin, in form of wreath  
with small pearl set at bottom.  
Will the finder please leave at the  
store of Edward King?  
9-28.

## WANTED.

One Full Blood, Single Comb, White  
Leghorn Cockerel.  
O. W. BROOKS,  
Grafton, Me.  
9-23-11. p.d.

## FOR SALE.

The E. C. Chamberlin place in May-  
ville, Bethel. Near Androscoggin Riv-  
er. Fine 2 1/2 story modern house;  
house and all have 12 rooms, with large  
open attic; three fireplaces; large wood-  
shed, ice house, barn 30x75 feet; fur-  
nace heat; large cemented basement;  
spring water in house and barn; 9 acres  
tillage and 11 of pasture and woods;  
1 1/2 miles from R. R. station; 3 miles  
daily; fine summer home or all the year  
round residence. Will include all car-  
pets, shades and draperies. Location  
unexcelled. See or address  
HENRICK & PARK,  
Bethel, Me.  
9-14

## REAL ESTATE BARGAINS

Small fruit and berry farm 1 mile  
from Bethel station. Copy set of build-  
ing, consisting of house, all and stable.  
Home has hardwood floors throughout.  
10 acres of land. Strawberries, rasp-  
berries and blackberries set several  
hundred dollars yearly with ample op-  
portunity to multiply several fold. 60  
young apple trees in excellent bearing  
condition. Last but not least, an "ice  
business that is a little gold mine."  
Small pond on premises from which  
20000 cakes of spring water ice was  
taken last winter, part of which was  
sold at the pond and the balance re-  
lained to supply the local summer de-  
mand.

This place offers exceptional advan-  
tages to a person looking for a small  
place near a village, located as it is,  
within 1 1/2 miles of churches and  
schools and carrying a positive income  
to its owner from the day he assumes  
possession of it. A rare opportunity  
at a bargain. Further particulars, price  
and terms on application.

Farm of 164 Acres, 20 acres of ma-  
chine worked fields and 44 acres of pas-  
ture and woodland, within 1 1/2 miles of  
Bethel village. Buildings, consisting of  
2 story house, stable and barn in good  
repair. \$1400, part cash and a bargain.  
Will sell the buildings and 40 acres of  
land, part field for \$1600 or the build-  
ings and 2 acres of land for \$1600.  
Nice summer home.

175 Acres Farm, 40 acres in machine  
worked fields, cutting 30 tons of hay,  
pasture for 20 cows, fine set of farm  
buildings, consisting of house, all, shed  
and barn connected; 2 barns 30x25 and  
40x75. Wood for home use. Trap  
wood will more than pay for the place  
\$2800, part cash.  
For further particulars of these and  
other properties including one of the  
best store propositions in Bethel vil-  
lage, inquire of  
E. C. BOWLER,  
Bethel, Maine.

## NOT HEARD.

"Excuse me," said Uncle Eben, "I  
only a still, small voice, as' half de  
time when I tries to speak up it gets  
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**Evil Enough.**

There is evil enough in man, God  
knows. But it is not the mission of  
every young man and woman to detail  
and report it all. Keep the atmo-  
sphere as pure as possible and fragrant  
with gentleness and charity.—Dr. John  
Hall.

**Venison.**

The prime joint of venison is un-  
doubtedly the haunch, though a shoul-  
der or neck of venison properly cook-  
ed is a very toothsome dish. The loin  
is best cut up into chops and cutlets,  
the breast being only suitable for  
soups, ragouts and pies.

**Honey.**

Honey has been known from the  
earliest times. The Scriptures make  
mention of it, and pagan writers cele-  
brated its virtues. It was called "the  
oil of the aged" and was thought to  
prolong life. Honey was also used in  
the embalming of the body after death.

**Coffee.**

Coffee, the active principle of cof-  
fee, was discovered by Rung in 1800.  
It is a pure state it takes the form of  
a very sticky needles. In ordinary cof-  
fee it is present to the extent of about  
1 per cent, but Java coffee contains 4.4  
and Mocha coffee as much as 8.4.

**A Brave Mine.**

Key—How about that gold mine you  
bought back in last year? Bailey—  
Why, we've called it the Baldog.  
It's the bravest little mine you ever  
heard of. Key (puzzled)—Bravest?  
Bailey—Sure! There isn't a yellow  
rock anywhere in it—Buck.

**Remembrance.**

"Did any of your ancestors do things  
to cause posterity to remember them?"  
asked the naughty woman.  
"I reckon they did," replied Farmer  
Outboard. "My grandfather put most  
meat on this place that ain't paid for."  
—Washington Star.

**A Glass Too Much.**

First Balcony—A woman was ar-  
rived downtown this morning. Sec-  
ond Balcony—What for? First Bal-  
cony—She was caught in the act of con-  
suming a hand mirror. Second Bal-  
cony—Four women! That's what comes  
of taking a glass too much!

**A Dandy Date Pie.**

(Anecdotes of Dandy Date, now  
dormant, England, have had the habit  
for 100 years past of baking enormous  
pies to celebrate great events. On one  
occasion a Dandy Date pie contained  
not a sheep, twenty fowls and half a  
bar of soap.

**Snake Charmer.**

The statement is made on the au-  
thority of a dealer in animals that  
most snake charmers are morphine  
addicts. By the absorption of this po-  
ison they become insensible to the poi-  
son of all but the most deadly variety  
of snakes.

**HEART THRILLING  
GEMS.**

**LOOK UP.**

Look up! the world is wide. On land  
and sea,  
On shore or shore, there is no rest, no  
rest;  
A heart throbs outward from each  
human breast,  
And moves it onward to its destiny.

Why meet it bravely, with the honest  
thought  
Of no good deed undone no ruin  
wrought?  
What if its hidden doom must end in  
death?  
To kill that hope that soothes a dying  
breath.

He who would soar from darkness into  
light,  
And, like leaves, mount on waxen  
wings,  
Will never reach and touch the  
golden springs  
That open the gates that close upon the  
night.

Who rises, lifting others up with him,  
Is strong indeed. Within his call or  
reach  
Are hands that aid him—hearts that  
help him teach  
What he has learned himself, and  
taught to them.

We build our thoughts like mountains  
to the clouds,  
The mystery of our being still un-  
solved,  
Save that we know our lives are not  
evolved  
For the sole end of filling empty  
shrouds.

**THE NOW.**

The charm of a love is its telling,  
the telling that goes with the giving;  
The charm of the deed is its doing; the  
charm of a life is its living.

The soul of the thing is the thought;  
the charm of the act is the actor;  
The soul of the fact is its truth, and  
the Now is its principal factor.

The world loves the Now and the Now-  
ist, and tests all assumptions with  
rigor;  
It looks not behind it to falling, and  
forward to ardor and vigor.

It cares not for herps who falter, for  
martyrs who hushed and recanted,  
For pictures that never were painted,  
For harvests that never were plant-  
ed.

The world does not care for a fra-  
grance that never is lost in per-  
fuming.  
The world does not care for the blas-  
phemy that wither away before  
blooming.

The world does not care for the chimera  
remaining unring by the ringier.  
The world does not care for the songs  
unsung in the soul of the singer.

What use to mankind is a purpose that  
never alone forth in a desert?  
What use has the world for a living  
that never had winner nor warrior?  
The motives, the hopes and the  
schemes that have ended in life  
conclusionless  
Are buried along with the failures that  
came in a life of illusions.

Away with the illusory idea that life  
with a past is attended;  
There's Now—only now—and be past  
there's never a past; it has ended.

**CONTINENT.**

My neighbor is richer than I,  
But this can never move me,  
If he has wealth, then I have health,  
A smiling wife to love me,  
A little cat, the poor man's lot,  
And kindly heavens above me

My neighbor takes his daily walks,  
And deigns not to address me,  
Yet he who made the hill and glade  
Deigns not to bless me,  
He I have joy, with slight alloy,  
And little to distress me.

My neighbor in his tower grand  
Surveys his miles of tract,  
While I may watch my acre patch,  
With spot and trim at leisure,  
And be content, with little soil,  
Yet sitting up my dreams!

My neighbor's children run and play  
Within a garden blooming,  
While mine you see, "barefoot" and  
free  
With birds and wild bees swarming,  
For berries red with which in sport  
A boy's foot at the gleaming.

My neighbor has the sun and dew,  
His glory still increasing;  
But on their way, each blessed day  
With beauty all increasing,  
They pass it not, my little lot,  
Without a golden blessing!

**WOMAN  
ESCAPES  
OPERATION**

**Was Cured by Lydia E. Pink-**

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Elwood, Ind.—"Your remedies have  
cured me and I have only taken six  
bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vege-  
table Compound.  
I was sick three  
months and could  
not walk. I suf-  
fered all the time.  
The doctors said I  
could not get well  
without an opera-  
tion, for I could  
hardly stand the  
pains in my sides,  
especially my right  
side. I had been  
suffering for years  
with a lump in my  
breast, and I was  
afraid to stop soon."  
—Mrs. S. M. Mullen, 2723 N. D. St., El-  
wood, Ind.

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an operation or drug out a sickly  
condition of the body, missing three-  
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Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass., for advice.  
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As sun and dew spread fruit and grain  
In answer to my sowing,  
I'll be content with what is sent  
Of Heaven's kind bestowings;  
And thank the power who fills each  
Hour my cup to overflowing.

**PROBATE NOTICES.**

To all persons interested in either of  
the Estates hereinafter named:  
At a Probate Court held at Paris, in  
and for the County of Oxford, on the  
third Tuesday of September, in the  
year of our Lord one thousand nine  
hundred and eleven. The following  
matter having been presented for  
the action thereupon hereafter indi-  
cated, it is hereby ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all  
persons interested, by causing a copy of  
this order to be published three weeks  
successively in the Oxford County Cit-  
izen, newspaper published at Bethel, in  
said county, that they may appear at a  
Probate Court to be held at said Paris,  
on the third Tuesday of October, A. D.  
1911, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and  
be heard thereon if they see cause.

Descoe P. Cross late of Bethel, de-  
ceased; will and petition for probate  
thereof presented by Charles R. Cross,  
the executor therein named.

Ellen M. Chandler late of Bethel,  
deceased; will and petition for probate  
thereof presented by Elizabeth A.  
Blake the executor therein named.

Timothy J. Chapman late of Gilead,  
deceased; petition for the appointment  
of Arthur J. Roberts as trustee under  
the will of said deceased presented by  
Tullyrand G. Lary, one of the trustees  
under said will.

Arthur R. Tyler late of Mason, de-  
ceased; first account presented for al-  
lowance by Francis S. Tyler, adminis-  
trator.

Harriet Wright late of Newry de-  
ceased; petition for license to sell and  
convey real estate presented by Wil-  
liam B. Wright, administrator.

Ellen E. Howe late of Bethel, deceased;  
petition for determination of collateral  
inheritance tax presented by Irving L.  
Carver, administrator.

Grace M. and Florence E. Riffe of  
Fryburg Academy Grant, minors; first  
account presented for allowance by  
Edwin L. Riffe, guardian.

Ellen E. Howe late of Bethel, de-  
ceased; petition for order to distribute  
balance remaining in her hands pre-  
sented by Irving L. Carver, administrator.

Adeline E. Herby,  
Judge of said Court  
A true copy—attest  
Attest in Park, Register

**NOTICE.**

The subscriber hereby gives notice  
that she has been duly appointed ad-  
ministratrix with the will annexed of  
the estate of George B. Hoyt late of  
Bridgton in the County of Oxford, de-  
ceased, and given bonds as the law  
directs. All persons having demands  
against the estate of the said deceased  
are desired to present the same for ad-  
justment, and all indebted thereto are  
requested to make payment immedi-  
ately.

Attest in Park, Register  
Sept. 19, 1911.  
J. B. B.

**THE DRAGON'S BACKBONE.**

An Odd Incident of Railroad Construc-  
tion in China Which Caused the  
Builders Much Trouble.

When there was undertaken the con-  
struction of the railway between Kirin  
and Newchwang, the seaport of Man-  
churia, it was proposed to make a  
junction at a place called Lanpin, out-  
side the city of Mukden. For this per-  
mission had to be obtained from the  
Chinese general of Mukden. This func-  
tionary at once proceeded to call in his  
geomancers, a species of soothsayers,  
who gave information concerning the  
good fortune and ill fortune of sites  
and were supposed by the Chinese to  
know what demons and dragons in-  
habited the earth under the surface.  
These wise men reported that the  
dragon whose body encircled the holy  
city of Mukden lay coiled up in such a  
way that if the railway came through  
Lanpin the long nails driven into the  
earth would pierce his backbone and in  
all probability set him to raging vio-  
lently, to the great detriment of the  
people of Mukden.

The general commander refused the  
application of the railway people and  
directed them to carry the road in a  
straight line from Kirin to New-  
chwang, avoiding Mukden. The en-  
gineers thereupon appealed to the vic-  
eroy, showing that, as this proposed  
route would go through a marshy and  
uninhabited country, it could not be  
profitable for their enterprise.  
The viceroys wrote to the general of  
Mukden, highly commending him for  
his discretion in consulting the geo-  
mancers, but suggesting that these  
sage persons go over the ground again  
and see if they could not find a place  
where the nails would not be likely to  
strike into the dragon's back. Accord-  
ingly, at the command of the viceroys,  
the general had his geomancers indi-  
cate a spot for the junction at Lanpin  
where they thought that, after all, the  
dragon's backbone would be safe.  
—New York Press.

**RICE PAPER.**

Shaved From the Snow White Pith of  
Trees in Formosa.

The so called rice paper is not made  
from rice, as its name implies, but  
from the snow white pith of a small  
tree belonging to the genus aralia, a  
genus represented in this country by  
the common sansevieria and the  
spikenard. The tree grows in Formo-  
sa and, so far as is known, nowhere  
else. The stems are transported to  
China, and there the rice paper is  
made. It is used, aside from a num-  
ber of other purposes, by the nativ-  
e artists for water color drawings, and  
sometimes it is dyed in various colors  
and made into artificial flowers.

The tools of the pith worker com-  
prise a smooth stone about a foot  
square and a large knife or hatchet  
with a short wooden handle. The  
blade is about a foot long, two inches  
broad and nearly half an inch thick at  
the base, and it is as sharp as a razor.

Placing a piece of the cylindrical  
pith on the stone and his left hand on  
the top, the pith worker will roll the  
pith backward and forward for a num-  
ber of times until he gets it in the re-  
quired position. Then, holding the knife  
in his right hand, he will hold the edge  
of the blade after a faint or two close  
to the pith, which he will keep rolling  
to the left with his left hand until  
nothing remains to unravel, for the pith  
has, by the application of the knife,  
been pared into a square white sheet  
of uniform thickness. All that re-  
mains to be done is to square the  
edges.

If one will roll up a sheet of paper,  
lay it on a table, place the left hand  
on top and gently unroll it to the left  
he will have a good idea of how the  
task is accomplished.—New York Her-  
ald.

**Sawing Sawing.**  
Here is the old King Richard II.  
way of making sausage: "Purge in  
severe sauce" or piece with sage  
sauce. "Take pyrexia (sickness) (sweat-  
ed) and quarter them and season them  
in water and salt; take them and let  
them bake (roast), take parcel (garlic),  
sage (sage) and krynde it with bread  
and yolk of ayren (egg); harden  
yolk (baked), temper it with vinegar  
somewhat thick, and lay the pyrexia in  
a vessel and serve upward (the sauce  
over them), and serve it forth." "Take  
pyrexia" is pretty good. Now or number  
seems of no consequence.—New York  
Press.

**Quack English Names.**  
Among the names in the North  
Hacker's voice (late are the follow-  
ing: Frances Sorroway, Hearn,  
William Paradise, Alfred Haggard,  
Gale, Thomas Benjamin, Dimples,  
Thomas Rickardum, William Joseph  
Nether Nepper, Paris Needlestick,  
and Plunkett Albert Hugby Lord.  
—London Globe.

**Why He Wept.**  
Spartan Mother—What's the matter?  
What are you crying for? Stone Hero  
(who has been taught never to cry for  
body pain)—Oh, I've sat down on a  
bar, and I've afraid I must have  
hurt it.—London Punch.

**Two Different Species.**  
Little Willie—Say, pa, what is a  
bookworm? Pa—A bookworm, say  
son, is either a person who would  
rather read a book than eat or a worm  
that would rather eat a book than  
read.—Chicago News.

**He Had For Alarm.**  
"The school was what I thought of  
you"  
"Indeed?"  
"Yes, but don't get frightened. I  
didn't tell her."—Lippincott's.

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## RUMFORD.

On Thursday the Hebrew people of Rumford celebrated the Jewish New Year. Mr. Solomon Steinfield and wife of Berlin, Mr. Jake Israelson and wife of Livermore were present.

Mr. Morse spent Wednesday of last week in Portland, on business.

Anthony Bemis of New York was in town a few days the first of the week, called here by the illness of his father, Mr. Nahum Moore.

Miss Mary Danton and Mrs. Hollis Danton left Saturday morning for Rockwood, Maine, where they will join Mr. Danton and remain for the entire winter.

Frank White of Lewiston was in town this week, on business.

Miss Frances Harris left Tuesday for Lashelle's Seminary, where she will attend school.

Spaulding Blaboe left Monday for Boston University, where he will attend the Law School this year.

Mr. Chas. Lester Smith of Portland, the principal of the High School, arrived in town the middle of the week, to be ready for the opening of school.

Arthur Lincoln is back once more at the Oxford, resuming his duties. His many friends are glad to receive him.

L. W. Blanchard and wife were called to Pittsfield, Maine, on Thursday, by the serious illness of Mrs. Blanchard's mother, Mrs. Priest.

Mr. and Mrs. Rendall, Mrs. E. H. Atwood and Mrs. E. O. Ames went to Lewiston, Sunday, in the Rendall car and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Turner at Hotel Atwood.

Mr. Ed. Atwood of Nashua, N. H., was the guest of his brother, Mr. F. H. Atwood, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones arrived in town on Thursday night after a brief wedding trip and Jones wears a smile that won't come off now in the role of "Benedict."

Mr. Ed. Stetson of Auburn accompanied by his wife and children were the guests of Mrs. Harold Goddard on Sunday, making the trip in their car.

N. O. Foster spent Sunday at his home in Weld.

Miss Ella Ames and Mr. Jas. D. Clark spent Sunday in Bath, as the guests of Dr. Marston and wife.

Emery Howard of So. Framingham, Mass., is the guest of his sister, Mrs. W. R. Downe.

J. H. Hassett left Monday for New York, on business.

Miss Ethel Darrach is learning to operate in the Telephone Department.

W. O. Haynes is moving his family into the Blake House on York street, formerly occupied by C. P. Bryant.

The friends of W. J. Bray will be sorry to learn that he is in a very critical condition in Washington, having become totally blind.

Mrs. Harold Goddard will leave Friday for Auburn, where she will be the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Goddard for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walton Wyman will leave Friday for Bryant's Pond to visit Mr. and Mrs. John Hathaway.

Rev. Mr. Gaskin of Westbrook supplied the pulpit of Mr. Barber, on Sunday.

On Friday and Saturday of this week Grace W. Mills & Co. will have their opening and the public are invited to be present and inspect the hats displayed at this time.

Mrs. Helen Lyon was supplying in the post office the first of the week, during the absence of Harry Ladd.

Miss Josephine Tribon left Sunday afternoon for Auburn, after having spent a week in the telephone office as chief operator in the absence of Miss Mildred Brown.

## CANTON HAPPENINGS

As Observed and Told by the Citizen Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hollis and child, of Portland, have been guests of his brother, E. K. Hollis and family.

Mrs. Ervin York has been visiting at Norway.

Miss Alice Nulty has been in Boston the past week, selecting her fall stock of millinery.

Miss Jennie Barrows has returned home from Waverley, Mass., where she has been training for a nurse.

Geo. Wyman of Readfield has been a guest of Mrs. L. A. Davis.

Mrs. Prudie Farrar is visiting relatives at Keene's Mills.

The Oxford County Sabbath School Convention of all denominations met at the United Baptist Church, Canton, Tuesday.

The death of Mrs. Harriet Brown occurred at her home in Melrose, Mass., Sept. 18th. The remains were brought to Canton, Thursday night and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Brown, of Portland, and Miss Lella Brown of Melrose. Mrs. Brown was the widow of Calvin Brown, who, with his family, formerly resided in Canton and Canton Point.

Mrs. Fred Childs of Lewiston has been visiting John P. Swasey and family.

A. S. Hildreth was in town a few days last week.

Stella Walker of Peru was a recent guest of Vera Andrews.

E. T. Holland of Monmouth has been calling on friends in town.

Wm. F. Shackley who has been very ill the past week is improving in health.

Mrs. Geo. Novens of Lewiston has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Johnson.

Mrs. Inez Sanders of Woolfords is visiting her grandfather, G. E. Corlies.

Mrs. F. E. Ludden of Lewiston has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac A. Ellis and Mrs. Harry Stone of Auburn have been guests of C. C. Ellis and family.

Mrs. Sydney Wheelwright of East Dixfield was a guest of Mrs. S. W. Butterfield during the fair.

O. M. and C. E. Richardson and family have been entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hovey and children of Livermore Falls.

Harry Moore is working for F. E. Spofford.

Miss H. Louise Ellis of Portland has been visiting relatives in town.

Byrd Haskell of Livermore Falls has been a guest of Hazel Gilbert.

Muri Bailey, a former Canton lad, has been visiting friends in town.

Clementine Crockett of Portland has been visiting at her home for a few days.

Miss Maud Douglas of Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gilbert of Rumford and Miss Kate Jack of Woodfords were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Gilbert and family during the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Drake of Lewiston have been visiting J. W. Birknell and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Packard of Portland have been visiting her mother, Mrs. D. A. Fletcher and family.

Daniel Ryan and company played at the Opera House during the fair to appreciative audiences.

Mrs. Albert Lyette of Brockton, Mass., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Richardson.

Mrs. Harry Douglas of Rumford has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ellis.

Geo. H. Stuart, while cutting snuff on Thursday afternoon accidentally cut off the forefinger of his left hand.

Mrs. W. L. Darrington of Livermore Falls has been visiting J. L. Darrington and family.

E. L. Haskell and wife of Torrey Centre called on friends in town, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas spent Sunday at Huxford the guests of Mr. Lucas' sister, Mrs. Monroe Peabody and family.

Neil K. Parkes returned to the studies at Tufts Medical College, Sunday.

Miss Frieda Allbrecht of Portland has been visiting her brother, Chas. Allbrecht.

Miss Eda Spaulding is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. W. Morse.

A small unexpected house at Gilbertville was burned to the ground, Wednesday night.

## ANDOVER.

Mr. Oscar Wakefield, who has been employed as a civil engineer in Canada for several months, visited his mother, Mrs. B. L. Akers, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ezra Morton of Rumford Center is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chas. Newton, this week.

Geo. Glover was ill of a sore throat, Saturday.

Mr. C. E. Akers of Portland visited his parents, J. E. Akers and wife, this week.

Y. A. Thurston returned from Augusta, Saturday.

Ellen Akers returned from Portland last Thursday, where she has been staying for several weeks.

David Smith of So. Andover had the misfortune to lose four cows Saturday night by a floor giving away precipitating them into the cellar.

Gupill of Bethel with a crew of men arrived in Andover, Saturday and began to place the Merry-Go-Round in position for Andover Fair.

Rev. Mr. Packard preached an interesting sermon to the men in particular Sunday morning.

Mr. M. L. Thurston, Wade Thurston and wife, and Mrs. Frank Stevens and daughter, of Bethel, were in town, Sunday.

Geo. Learned and wife were at U. Pond last week. He intends building a sporting camp there this winter.

The Thurston Bros. will put a crew of men into the woods at Richardson Pond this week to build camps for the winter's operations.

Chas. Roberts was at Rumford, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hilt of Westbrook are visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Cloda Marston and children were at Rumford, Saturday.

Philip Tokey visited at Mrs. C. A. Rand's, recently.

Frank Perry from Boston came to attend the funeral of Mrs. William Milton, Friday.

Mr. Lincoln Dresser and Mrs. Fannie Dresser were guests of Mrs. E. E. Bell and Mrs. Alice Thurston, Thursday.

Mrs. John F. Talbot is very ill. Mrs. M. S. Hodson is caring for her.

John Philbrook of Bethel was in town, buying cattle, last week. John Zale from Rumford was also buying cattle in town.

Fred Hotchels, who has been clerk at Middle Dam the past season is at home for a few days.

A horse owned by Geo. Glover got injured so badly last week that it had to be killed.

Eben Learned was in Rumford last week.

Charles Smith is at the hospital in Lewiston, ill of appendicitis.

Mr. F. P. Bonney and family, from Brookline, Mass., were the guests of Mrs. Abbie Barnes, and son, Walter, Saturday and Sunday. They came to Andover by auto.

Mr. M. S. Hodson was found in his barn, Sunday, lying on the floor unconscious. He was carried into the house and is in a precarious condition.

William Colting returned to the Lakes, Monday.

Mabel Godwin visited in Grafton, recently.

Mr. M. A. Howard is cutting pulp wood at East Andover. Wallis Marston is helping him.

James Porter is working at Newell Godwin's.

Violet Wood, who has been working at Glenella for some time, has gone to Bryant's Pond.

Lone Mountain Orange met Saturday evening in the hall with a good attendance. After the reading of business the Lecturer gave the following program—Music, Orange, Reading, Bible, Quotations from each member; Reading, Mrs. L. B. Hall; Music, Orange; Concluding, by members. A committee was chosen to arrange for the orange exhibit at the fair.

Mrs. Ezra Webster has returned home from Lewiston, where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Mrs. William Milton died at her home on Newton street, Tuesday night, Sept. 19, after an illness of several months. Mrs. Milton came to this town from New Brunswick about 23 years ago. She was a kind neighbor and a loving mother, and a large number of friends mourn with the bereaved family in their loss. She was 66 years of age and leaves besides a husband, one son and one daughter. The funeral was held at the home Friday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Packard officiated. The burial took place in the Woodlawn Cemetery. Mattie totting was in Rumford, Saturday.

Herbert Marston has contracted to cut 250,000 feet of lumber on Sawyer Brook, this winter.

WILLING TO OVERLOOK IT.

Victim—Say, don't you, you've pulled the wrong tooth!

Dentist—From the way you bawled I thought I had pulled of the right one, but we'll call it my mistake.—Chicago Tribune.

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## DIXFIELD ITEMS.

This Thursday p. m. the church and society will meet at their rooms in Main Block at 2 o'clock for the purpose of taking puffs.

N. S. Howell was in Connecticut last week on a business trip.

The piano purchased by the High school pupils has arrived and all are much pleased with it.

The Bible Study class met last Friday evening at the home of Lizette Russell.

Floyd Newton is living in the Lovejoy rent on High street.

R. W. Thomson and family, from Jersey City, N. J., have recently moved into the Palace rent on Third street, lately vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Archer.

Floyd Holt has just returned from a pleasant vacation of a few days spent at Reading, camping with his friend, Jack Moody, one of the teachers at Bridgton Academy.

Mrs. Archer Kutter and young son, went to Farmington Thursday. Mr. Kutter has a position there in the thrashers office. They have a rent and are settling their household goods. Mrs. Shirley Byer, Mr. Kutter's sister, accompanied them there and will remain a few days to assist in the housekeeping arrangements.

Miss Maudie Holland returned this week from a pleasant outing of a few days at Lake Umbagog.

Stanley Bennett, of Lewiston, was a guest of Floyd Holt over Sunday.

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## TIME TABLE.

## MACKAY'S AUTO LINES

Second Season.

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Leave Bethel for Rumford, 10:45 a. m.  
Leave Rumford for Bryant's Pond, 2:00 p. m.  
Leave Bryant's Pond for Rumford, 4:15 p. m.

No regular car for Bryant's Pond Mondays, but special car will be sent with three or more persons at regular rates.

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### SUMNER.

Wm. Lord and wife from Mass. are visiting at Leland Andrews'. Fred Palmer is in the vicinity cutting emulage corn.

W. V. Redding and Wesley Pollock are working for O. L. Newell. Several from this place attended the fair at Canton on Wednesday.

Rupert Robbins is working for Lewis Babes. G. F. Dyer is about to move into the Clara Clark stand at West Hamer.

Tuesday the people of this vicinity were saddened by the death of Mrs. William (Elizabeth) Crockett, wife of A. W. Crockett. The funeral was held Thursday at her late home. She leaves a son, her late husband, a son and a daughter, and a sister, Mrs. D. A. Tuttle, of Pomona, and a host of friends.

Bertram Macomber is about to leave his family and household effects for South Paris. Charles Miller and lady were at H. S. Starr's on Sunday.

### MARSHALL DISTRICT.

We enjoyed a very pleasant call from Mr. and Mrs. R. E. L. Farwell of Bethel, also Mr. and Mrs. L. Hazeltine of Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Farwell called Mr. and Mrs. Hazeltine and they took a walk to Mrs. Farwell's old home. She could see where a number of changes have taken place since then.

The writer visited Miss Dresser's home last Friday, and enjoyed it very much. Miss Dresser is teaching the grammar school at Locke's Mills, she has twenty seven scholars and seems to work hard for their advancement. Miss Randall of Bethel teaches the primary school in the same building. The writer was very much interested in the way she has so much patience to explain everything to them, their lessons do not seem so hard to them and they seem more interested.

Mr. Charles Henson and two little boys were at H. S. Starr's on Sunday.

### NEWRY.

Ralph Frost has gone to West Paris to work, picking apples. D. C. Smith is at work for Rob. E. Mann.

Agnes Frost is at Paris, attending school. Frank Douglass is away thrashing grain with his engine.

Howard Bailey was at home last Sunday.

### EAST BETHEL.

Miss May Field of Lowell, Mass., has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Cole.

Mrs. Irving Kimball of Boston is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Holt.

Mrs. Herbert Lygo and little daughter, of Bethel, are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Z. W. Burdett last week.

Mr. E. D. Cole recently visited friends at Bethel, Mass.

Miss Ella Farwell is visiting friends at Bethel, N. H.

Mrs. Ella Dean visited in Lewiston and Bethel last week.

Mrs. Roy Bartlett and little daughter are spending a few weeks with her parents at St. Johnsbury, Vt.

Mr. E. B. Dean and Mr. Albert Swan have gone to Kingsbury, Me., where they have work.

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### FINISHING A STACK.

Combining Down of Loose Hay Will Prevent Rain From Penetrating and Causing Mold.

After topping out a stack it is just as essential to finish and give it proper protection as it was to stack it well while putting it up.

Unless the weather is windy or promises a rain it is advisable to run the stack to a medium point, then leave it to settle a day or two, after which the final top may be placed on it. This enables one to get more hay under one cover, and the packed hay will turn water better.

Before leaving a stack carefully comb down all the loose hay from the sides with a long handled rake. A common garden rake will do. This loose hay if left clinging to the sides of the stack accounts for much hay spoiling. The rain settles into it, and because of its being too open to start the drainage of the water it soaks into the stack and causes mold.

This combining down of the loose hay straightens out the surface hay, causing all of the stems and blades to point down with the slope of the stack, and just as soon as rain falls on them it shoots down these stems and off on to the ground, thus affording ample protection to the entire product with the exception of the few straws on the surface of the stack.

A covering of coarse hay, for which the old fashioned blue stem is recommended, should be placed on the extreme top of every completed stack, both in small grain stacking and in haying. This insures essential protection from the heat, the rain and the birds.

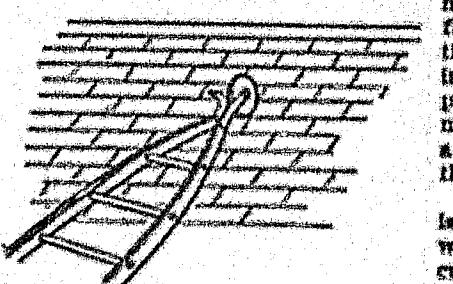
The weighting down of the top of a stack is deserving of the most careful attention. See that the weights on each side of the stack are about the same size.

When the stack is finished take the plow and run a furrow close up around and against the stack, throwing the dirt away from the hay. Open this furrow at the lowest point around the stack, and it will effectively drain off all the water carried down the sides.

### HANDY FIRE LADDER.

Can Be Moved About Easily When the Time For Its Use Is at Hand.

A safe and practical fire ladder is shown in the sketch. It is quickly and easily put in position, something very desirable in fire ladders. It is in the form of a fruit ladder at the top.



Wheel at End of Ladder Enables Quick Moving.

With a small wheel at the end, thus enabling one to push it up over a roof without catching on the shingles.

A book is placed in the position shown, so that when the ladder is pushed up to the ridge of the roof it can be turned over and the hook will hold it firmly in place. Make the ladder long enough for any roof you have, and have another that will reach any roof edge.

Early Peaches Good.

Early peaches are greatly relished because of their flavor. As a rule these early varieties are not equal to later varieties in quality, but they are appreciated because the human system needs fruit most at this time. Note the bearing qualities of early varieties and propagate from them for future crops.

Corn For Fattening Hogs.

During the fattening period the previously built frame, in the making of which protein is so essential, is fortified with fat, a process in which corn makes the most economical gains.

Value of Bone and Fat.

Any one can readily see that bone is one of the best feeds for producing eggs, as the fat added in forming the yolk of the egg and also in sustaining the fowl in winter.

### FARM NOTES

Does not back the fertility that the corn takes out.

Keep the land constantly at work growing some crop.

Not enough attention has been given to the character of seed corn.

The tractor is going to be the next and biggest help to the farmer.

There is no crop that a stock feeder can grow that will make as much feed as corn and peas or soy beans.

Keep the cultivator busy. Don't let the weeds get ahead of you. Remember that they use the plant food that should go into your crop.

The alfalfa farmer is not cutting as heavy crops this year as ordinarily, but he is just as much ahead of the old grain farmer as ever.

Small manure mixed with ground wheat bran and applied on the ground is much better than a fertilizer.

### QUINCES FOR THE MARKET.

Trees Should Be Planted So That They Will Have Protection From Frosts.

The trunk and branches of the quince are perfectly hardy even to the ends of the twigs. It is only the root, which is very porous, which is tender.

Quince roots naturally run near the surface, and their porousness exposes them to especial danger when frozen, as they probably will be if the freezing of the soil extends very deeply.

There is some power in the quince root to resist frost, so that even where the roots are frozen the tree is not always killed. But if many of the roots freeze some of the quince top will die, and its productiveness for a year or two will be greatly impaired.

The quince tree likes a moist soil, partly because this is not so likely as a high and dry soil to freeze deeply.

For the same reason, even in localities least favorable to it, the quince will succeed when planted in some sheltered place beside the fence or near a building, where deep snow will cover its roots and reach almost to its branches during the winter.

Such places are also generally rich, the same wind that piles up the snow also carrying with it some of the loose surface soil that is always the most fertile. If quince trees had never been planted except in such conditions the fruit would not have the bad reports it now has for being tender.

If quince trees are planted in an orchard or an equally close wall should surround them. This will in most northern localities insure having the ground under them well covered with snow in winter. If plenty of mineral fertilizers are used the trees will bear abundantly, and their foliage will keep healthy.

More than half of the complaints of fungus in fruits and on the leaf of fruit trees are due to lack of potato. But when fungus diseases have gained a lodgment in quince trees they may be destroyed by cutting out the affected parts and burning them and spraying with the bordeaux mixture to prevent the spores that have escaped from extending and propagating.

One day the emperor shot out one of the eyes of Massena, the duke of Rivoli, but nothing was said of it. Berthier took the blame for it, probably because he was master of the situation. "Napoleon's Men and Methods."

Conciliatory.

Mrs. and Mrs. Bland, although really fond of each other, had frequent quarrels. Mr. Bland was telling his troubles to a friend. "I try to be as good a husband to Bertha as I know how to be," he said, "but we don't seem to get along. It takes so little to irritate her, and when she starts scolding she never knows when to stop. She takes offense too, at such little things." "When she is cross you must try to be conciliatory," said his friend. "I am conciliatory," he answered. "I often say to her, 'Bertha, I know the utter uselessness of trying to reason with you, but will you listen to me just a minute?' and she gets mad even at that!"

A Witty Chef.

Lady Dorothy Nevill in her reminiscences gives this bonnet of Alexis Soyer, the great chef, whose passion for the beautiful in everything was shown even in the selection of the female assistants in his kitchen:

"Lord Melbourne, himself an admirer of the fair sex, was one day inspecting the kitchen arrangements of the great chef. Attracted by the beauty of the many females engaged in cooking operations, the veteran peer turned round and complimented Soyer upon his taste in more senses than one."

"Ah, my lord," was the quiet rejoinder, "it won't do to have plain cooks here!"

Don't Cook Eggs.

"Eggs should never be cooked," says a culinary expert. "That sounds odd, but it is true. They should simply be reheated with slow heat. Everywhere I hear complaints about souffles and omelets. They fail or they never rise. But all that trouble could be avoided if the cooks only understood the relation of heat to eggs. The temperature should always be below the boiling point when eggs come in contact with the water. Then the heat will gradually penetrate the egg. The result will be a creamy mass instead of a hard and tough lump. That is the main principle in regard to eggs, and if that be followed cooks will not be wallowing about their fat omelets."—Boston Traveler.

Leaping Treason.

King William III. of England was passionately fond of the chase and made it a point never to be outdone in any leap, however perilous. A Mr. Cherry, who was devoted to the allied family, took advantage of this to plan the most pardonable design which was ever formed against a king's life. He regularly joined the royal hounds, just himself foremost and took the most desperate leaps in the hope that William might break his neck in following him. One day, however, he was caught one so suddenly dangerous that the king when he came to the spot shook his head and drew back. It is said that Mr. Cherry at length broke his own neck and thereby reversed the king from further hazard.

KINDNESS.

Do not be afraid of speaking any one with kindness. It can't be done. Instead of spoiling a beautiful character, cheers the heart and helps to ease the burden from shoulders which, though brave, sometimes grow very weak. Let not a false coldness frighten you away, for under a frigid exterior there is always to be found a tender chord which is to be touched by kindness.

### WEANING PIGS.

If Correct Diet Is Given Them It Can Be Done After Two Months Without Danger.

The weaning of a litter of pigs is not a difficult task if they have been fed correctly from the beginning. If a nutritious feed has been provided they can be eaten and digested readily by the small pigs they can be removed from the mother after two months without any noticeable inconvenience.

This is an important point—in fact, a critical period in the life of a pig, since the idea should be to make the pig grow as fast as possible right from the start. A sudden departure from the normal ration will be noticed, especially by suckling pigs, and they will be stunted accordingly. Aim to keep them growing from birth until maturity without a break in their daily gains.

If warm skim milk can be provided the pigs will soon learn to go to the trough with the mother and drink with her. The skim milk should be supplemented with wheat middlings, ground corn, oats, rye or tankage. All of these foods are good, and local conditions will determine which should be used. Provide green pasture at all times for the brood sow, for it is highly important. Coarse, bulky feed should not be given to a sow and her litter during this stage of growth. Most of the feed should be in a concentrated form and easily digested.

In carrying out the feeding directions given a creep or separate inclosure should be provided in one corner of the lot or pasture to which the sow can not have access. Leave a space below the bottom board through which the pigs may go and have an equal chance with each other. By providing this inclosure at the start the pigs learn to eat early in life, and they may be weaned when eight weeks old and the sow bred again for a second litter of pigs.

If this method is used the change of rations and separation from the mother will scarcely be noticed by the young pigs if they are properly fed up to this time. Whatever the method of management used, make the change of rations very gradual. This is of special importance in weaning suckling pigs.

The pigs intended primarily for breeding purposes may be left with the mothers for a longer time than stated above, provided they do not suckle too heavily and cause great emaciation. Some breeders do not wean until the pigs are three months old or over. In the production of breeding animals the aim should be to get plenty of bone, muscle and substance.

In this case the pigs should have every advantage to make their normal growth, and the mother's milk is especially conducive to their rapid development.

### GUERNSEY CATTLE.

Central Wisconsin Farmer Prefers Them to All Other Breeds For a Number of Good Qualities.

The young Guernsey bull shown in the illustration is owned by M. E. Tichenor, proprietor of Westmoreland farm, in central Wisconsin. Mr. Tichenor has a large herd of Guernseys and



Young Guernsey Bull.

makes a specialty of this particular breed. He is enthusiastic and claims he prefers them to any other dairy breed he has ever tried. He claims the animals are hardy, give a large quantity of good milk and are easily handled.

### LIVE STOCK NOTES

Oats make the best grain ration for horses in summer.

Alfalfa is a great feed for the brood sow in summer and winter.

Some horses have learned to balk by being overloaded and abused.

The late curly comb and the fat saddle horn live in the same barn.

Frequent watering of the hooves during harvest is good insurance against frostburn.

The brood mare in foal should be handled by a firm, steady hand, not an excitable, rash hand.

A horse that is too straight in the posture jars himself and gets all the concussion of the road.

Do you ever give your horse a cool bath in summer? You know how good it feels when you bathe.

If dusty hay is fed, sprinkle with water and it will save the horse much annoyance, but better yet feed it as cut hay.

It makes some horses shy to work them with horses, but do not travel up with them. Mark them as to gait as well as to other things.

Never give drugs to a horse any more than you would to a baby unless he is downright sick. Rubbing off the feed will cure all minor ills.



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